

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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 Serial No: 10/009,974  
 Filing Date:  
 Title: INKING DEVICE FOR A FLEXOGRAPHIC PRINTING MACHINE ANILOX ROLL



May 7, 2002

Art Unit:

Attorney's Docket No.: CHA217

TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Hon. Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks  
 Box PCT  
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SIR:

Transmitted herewith for filing is:

&lt;X&gt; Response to the Notification of a Defective Response dated May 7, 2002 (2 pages)

&lt;X&gt; English translation of the application (14 pages)

&lt;X&gt; Preliminary Amendment dated May 16, 2002

&lt;X&gt; Copy of Notification of a Defective Response mailed on April 8, 2002

&lt;X&gt; Copy of Notification of Missing Requirements under 35 USC 371 mailed on March 27, 2002

&lt;X&gt; Fees in the amount of \$130.00 are to be charged to a credit card. Form PTO-2038 is enclosed

&lt;&gt; Enclosed is a check to cover the fee in the amount of \$\_\_\_\_\_.

(X) The applicant hereby petitions the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to extend the time for response to any Office Action outstanding in the above captioned matter as necessary to avoid abandonment of the application. Please charge my deposit account No.11-0224 in the amount required to cover the cost of the extension. Any deficiency or overpayment should be charged or credited to the above account.

(X) The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees under 35 U.S.C. 1.16, and 1.17, after a mailing of a Notice of Allowance under 35 USC 1.18 or any additional fees which may be required during the entire pendency of the application, or credit any overpayment, to Acct. No.11-0224. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed. If and only if account funds should be insufficient, immediately contact our associate, Lisa Zumwalt, at (703)415-0579, who will pay immediately to avoid deprivation of rights.

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 A signature or signatures required for the above recited document(s) is (are) provided herebelow. Such signature(s) also provide(s) ratification for any required signature appearing to be defective in the above recited document(s).

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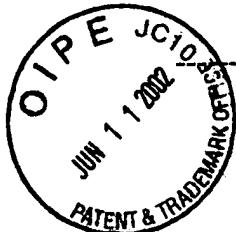
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**RESPONSE TO THE NOTIFICATION OF A DEFECTIVE RESPONSE**

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SIR:

This is in response to the Notification of a Defective Response mailed on April 8, 2002 and setting a statutory period for response of one month, said period expiring on May 8, 2002.

The Notification of a Defective Response states that, "*the following items must be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:*

*-Translation of the application into English.*

*-Processing fee for providing the translation of the application and/or the Annexes later than the appropriate 30 months from the priority date (37 CFR 1.492(f)).*

The applicant is submitting herewith translation of the application into English and processing fee for providing the translation of the application

later than the appropriate 30 months from the priority date, in the amount of \$130.00.

A copy of the Notification of a Defective Response mailed on April 8, 2002 is enclosed with the present response.

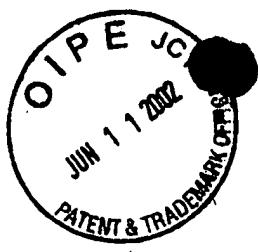
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**ENGLISH TRANSLATION OF  
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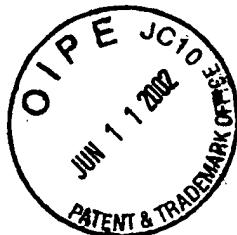
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**CONFIRMATION NO. 5168**  
**371 FORMALITIES LETTER**



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**NOTIFICATION OF DEFECTIVE RESPONSE**

The following items have been submitted by the applicant or the IB to the United States Patent and Trademark Office as an Elected Office (37 CFR 1.495):

- U.S. Basic National Fee
- Priority Document
- Assignee Statement
- Copy of IPE Report
- Copy of references cited in ISR
- Copy of the International Application
- Copy of the International Search Report
- English Translation of the IA
- Information Disclosure Statements
- Oath or Declaration

The following items **MUST** be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

- Translation of the application into English.
- Processing fee for providing the translation of the application and/or the Annexes later than the appropriate 30 months from the priority date (37 CFR 1.492(f)).

Applicant is required to complete the response within a time limit of ONE MONTH from the date of this Notification or within the time remaining in the response set forth in the Notification of Missing Requirements, whichever is the longer. No extension of this time limit may be granted under 37 CFR 1.136, but the period for response set in the Notification of Missing Requirements may be extended under 37 CFR 1.136(a).

**SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:**

Total additional fees required for this application is \$130 for a Large Entity:

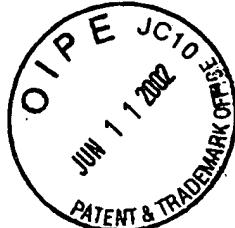


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**NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371 IN THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)**

The following items have been submitted by the applicant or the IB to the United States Patent and Trademark Office as an Elected Office (37 CFR 1.495):

- U.S. Basic National Fees
- Priority Document
- Copy of IPE Report
- Copy of references cited in ISR
- Copy of the International Application
- Copy of the International Search Report
- Information Disclosure Statements

The following items **MUST** be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

- Translation of the application into English.
- Processing fee for providing the translation of the application and/or the Annexes later than the appropriate 30 months from the priority date (37 CFR 1.492(f)).
- Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date.

**ALL OF THE ITEMS SET FORTH ABOVE MUST BE SUBMITTED WITHIN TWO (2) MONTH FROM THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE OR BY 22 or 32 MONTHS (where 37 CFR 1.495 applies) FROM THE PRIORITY DATE FOR THE APPLICATION, WHICHEVER IS LATER. FAILURE TO PROPERLY RESPOND WILL RESULT IN ABANDONMENT.**

The time period set above may be extended by filing a petition and fee for extension of time under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

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**Request and Payment Information**

Description of Request and Payment Information:

*English translation late \$130.00 (1.492(f))*

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